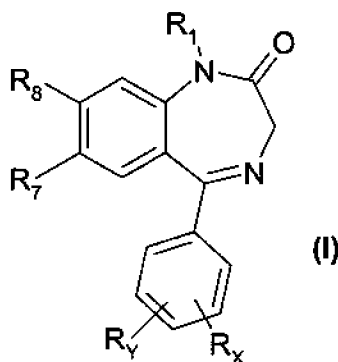


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1-29. (Cancelled)

30. (Currently Amended) A compound ~~of general~~represented by formula (I) :



wherein :

R₁ represents ~~ana member selected from the group consisting of~~
hydrogen-~~atom~~, (C₁-C₆) alkyl, aryl, (C₁-C₆)alkylaryl, aryl(C₁-C₆)alkyl group, (C₃-C₆)
alkenyl, ~~or and~~ (C₃-C₆) alkenylaryl,

R₇ represents a ~~substituted or not substituted~~unsubstituted, aryl or
heteroaryl group, wherein said heteroaryl group contains from 4 to 18
carbon atoms and one or more heteroatoms selected from N, O and S,
~~when~~wherein R₇ is a substituted aryl group, it is ~~preferably~~ mono- or bis-
substituted by the following groups: a-(C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyl, (C₃-
C₆)cycloalkyloxy, (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy, (C₃-C₆)alkenyloxy, aryloxy, acyl, halogen,
trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, carboxamide, amino, (C₁-
C₆)aminoalkyl, (C₁-C₆)aminodialkyl, NCOR₁₂ where R₁₂ is ~~a~~selected from the
group consisting of (C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₁-C₆)alkylaryl, aryl, ~~or and~~ -CONR₁₃R₁₄
wherein R₁₃ and R₁₄, independently from each other, are selected from the group
consisting of ~~a~~hydrogen-~~atom~~, ~~an~~(C₁-C₆)alkyl group, (C₃-C₆)alkenyl group, ~~an~~
alkylaryl, alkenylaryl, and ~~an~~aryl group, and wherein R₇ is a substituted

heteroaryl group, it is substituted with one or two substituents independently selected from the group consisting of halogen, amino, aminoacyl, CONH₂, (C₁-C₆)alkyl, aryloxy, and (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy,

R₈ represents ~~a~~hydrogen-~~atom~~ or ~~an~~ OR₁₀ group, wherein R₁₀ is ~~a~~ selected from the group consisting of hydrogen-~~atom~~, ~~an~~-(C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyl, (C₃-C₆)alkenyl, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, ~~an~~-(C₃-C₆)alkenylaryl, aryl, ~~or~~and a heterocyclic group, aromatic or not, having from 4 to 18 carbon atoms and 1 to 3 heteroatoms chosen ~~between~~from O, N, ~~and~~ S,

when R₁₀ ~~is~~represents an aryl, it is ~~preferably~~ mono- or bis-substituted by substituents selected from the following groups: ~~an~~hydrogen, (C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyloxy, (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy, (C₃-C₆)alkenyloxy, halogen, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, carboxamide, amino, (C₁-C₆)aminoalkyl, (C₁-C₆)aminodialkyl, NCOR₁₂ wherein R₁₂ is selected from the group consisting of ~~a~~-(C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₁-C₆)alkylaryl, and aryl, and -CONR₁₃R₁₄ wherein R₁₃ and R₁₄, independently from each other, are selected from the group consisting of ~~a~~hydrogen-~~atom~~, ~~an~~-(C₁-C₆)alkyl ~~group~~, (C₃-C₆)alkenyl ~~group~~, ~~an~~ alkylaryl, ~~an~~ alkenylaryl, and ~~an~~ aryl ~~group~~,

R_x represents ana member selected from the group consisting of hydrogen-~~atom~~, ~~an~~halogen-~~atom~~, ~~a~~ methyl, ~~a~~ methoxy, ~~an~~ acetyl, ~~a~~ trifluoromethyl, CN, COH ~~or~~and CONH₂ ~~group~~,

R_y represents ana member selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halogen-~~atom~~, (C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, (C₃-C₆)cycloalkyloxy, COH, (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy, alkenyl, (C₃-C₈)alkenyloxy, alkynyl, alkynyloxy, acyl, ~~halogen~~, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, difluoromethoxy, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, carboxamide, amino, (C₁-C₆)aminoalkyl, (C₁-C₆)aminodialkyl, NHCOR₁₂ where R₁₂ is ~~a~~-(C₁-C₆)alkyl, (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy, ~~hydroxy~~, (C₁-C₆)alkylaryl, ~~aryl~~, ~~or~~as defined above, and -CONR₁₃R₁₄ wherein R₁₃ and R₁₄, ~~independently from each other, are selected from the group consisting of~~ ~~a~~hydrogen-~~atom~~, ~~an~~-(C₁-C₆)alkyl ~~group~~, ~~an~~-(C₃-C₆)alkenyl ~~group~~, ~~an~~ alkynyl, ~~an~~ alkylaryl, ~~an~~ alkenylaryl, ~~an~~ alkynylaryl, and ~~an~~ aryl ~~group~~ are as defined above,

with the proviso that, when R₈ is ~~an~~ hydrogen-~~atom~~, then one or R_x ~~or~~and R_y is different from other than hydrogen,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

31. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₈ is ~~an~~ hydrogen ~~atom~~, ~~a~~ alkoxy, ~~preferably methoxy or ethoxy~~, or ~~an~~ aryloxy, ~~preferably phenoxy group~~.

32. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein at least one of R_X and R_Y is ~~different from~~ other than hydrogen.

33. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R_Y is an hydrogen atom and R_X is ~~different from~~ other than hydrogen.

34. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein the one of R_X and R_Y, ~~that is different from~~ other than hydrogen, is on position 3 of the phenyl group represented in formula (I).

35. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim ~~30~~ **33**, wherein R_X, ~~different from hydrogen~~, is on position 3 of the phenyl group represented in formula (I).

36. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R_X represents ~~a~~ -CONH₂, CN, or COCH₃ ~~group~~, ~~preferably~~ and is on position 3 or 4 of the phenyl group represented in formula (I).

37. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R_Y ~~represents~~ is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, ~~an~~ halogen ~~atom~~, CF₃, (C₁-C₆)aminoalkyl, (C₁-C₆)aminodialkyl, -NHCOR₁₂, -CONH₂, ~~a~~ (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy ~~group or a~~ and (C₁-C₆)alkyl ~~group~~, ~~preferably hydrogen~~.

38. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₁ represents ~~an~~ hydrogen ~~atom~~, ~~an~~ alkyl ~~group~~, preferably methyl, ethyl, or propyl, ~~an~~ alkenyl ~~group~~, preferably propenyl, or ~~an~~ arylalkyl ~~group~~.

39. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ ~~is~~represents a furanyl group, ~~said group is preferably a furan-2-yl.~~

40. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ ~~is~~represents an unsubstituted aryl group, ~~preferably unsubstituted phenyl group.~~

41. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ ~~is~~represents a substituted aryl or heteroaryl group, ~~preferably a substituted phenyl group.~~

42. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ ~~is~~represents a substituted~~an~~ aryl or heteroaryl group, ~~preferably a substituted phenyl group, and said substituted aryl or heteroaryl group is~~ substituted with one or two, ~~identical or different~~, substituents independently selected ~~in~~from the group consisting of halogen, amino, aminoacyl, CONH₂, (C₁-C₆)alkyl, aryloxy, and (C₁-C₆)alkyloxy.

43. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ is ~~a substituted~~an aryl or heteroaryl group, ~~preferably a substituted phenyl group, and said substituted aryl or heteroaryl group is~~ substituted with an alkoxy ~~which is a methoxy or ethoxy~~ group.

44. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ is a ~~substituted~~ phenyl group substituted by at least one group on the ortho position ~~ortho, which is preferably an alkoxy group.~~

45. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (I) according to claim 30, wherein R₇ is a substituted phenyl group selected **infrom** the group consisting of 4-methoxy-phenyl, 4-fluoro-phenyl, 2-methoxy-phenyl, 2-chloro-phenyl, 4-chloro-phenyl, 3-chloro-phenyl, 3-methoxy-phenyl, 2,5-dimethoxy-phenyl, 2,6-dimethoxy-phenyl, ~~4-benzamide~~**4-carbamoyl-phenyl**, 4-cyanophenyl, 2,4-dimethoxy-phenyl, 4-carboxamide-phenyl, 4-acetyl-phenyl, 2-isopropoxy-phenyl, 2-phenoxy-phenyl, and 3,4-dimethoxy-phenyl groups.

46. (Currently Amended) A compound **of formula (I) in accordance with Claim 30, wherein said compound is** selected **infrom** the group consisting of :
3-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;
3-[7-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;
3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;
3-[8-Methoxy-7-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;
3-[7-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;
3-[7-(3-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;
3-[7-(4-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-(7-Furan-2-yl-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(3-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(4-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2,5-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

8-Ethoxy-1-ethyl-5,7-diphenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzamide;

3-[7-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]
diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]
diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-
benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-
benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(3-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-
benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(4-Chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-
benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-(7-Furan-2-yl-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-
5-yl)-benzamide;

3-(1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzamide;

3-[7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-
yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(3-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-
yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-
yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2,5-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-
5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-(8-Methoxy-7-(4-benzamide)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzamide;

3-[1-Hexyl-8-methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-1-propyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-1-phenethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[1-Benzyl-8-methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

5-(3-Chloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(4-Chloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-(4-cyanophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-[1-Benzyl-8-methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-1-propyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-1-phenethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[1-Hexyl-8-methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(4-Acetyl-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(4-Acetyl-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

5-(4-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(2-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-(7-Furan-2-yl-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(3,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(3,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

5-(3,5-Dichloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3,4-Dichloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3-Acetyl-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

1-Methyl-7-phenyl-5-(3-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

1-Methyl-5-(4-methyl-3-nitro-phenyl)-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

1-Methyl-7-phenyl-5-(4-trifluoromethoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-[7-(2-Isopropoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

5-(3,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

1-Methyl-5-(3-nitro-phenyl)-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3-Hex-1-ynyl-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

{3-[3-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-phenyl]-prop-2-ynyl}-carbamic acid tert-butyl ester;

5-(3-Amino-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-

benzamide;

3-[7-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-8-phenoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-

one;

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-5-(4-methyl-3-nitro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-[7-(2-Isopropoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

5-(3-Methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

3-[7-(2-Chloro-6-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(5-Chloro-2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2-Chloro-6-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-

benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(5-Chloro-2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-(2-Oxo-7-phenyl-8-trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-8-trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzonitrile;

3-(1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-8-trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzamide;

3-[1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzonitrile;

3-[1-Methyl-2-oxo-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

8-Methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-5-[3-(4-phenyl-butyl)-phenyl]-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-[3-(3-methoxy-prop-1-ynyl)-phenyl]-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

{3-[4-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-phenyl]-prop-2-ynyl}-carbamic acid tert-butyl ester;

8-Methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-5-(4-phenylethynyl-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-[4-(3-methoxy-prop-1-ynyl)-phenyl]-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3,4-Dichloro-phenyl)-7-(2,6-dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-5-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(3,4-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-7-(2,6-dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(2-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-[3-(3-methoxy-propyl)-phenyl]-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(2-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(4-Hex-1-ynyl-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-[4-(3-methoxy-propyl)-phenyl]-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

{3-[4-(8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-phenyl]-propyl}-carbamic acid tert-butyl ester;

8-Methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

7-(2,5-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

7-(2-Fluoro-6-methoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

8-Methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one

5-(4-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;

5-(4-Bromo-phenyl)-8-methoxy-7-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;
and

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-5-m-tolyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one.

47. (Currently Amended) A compound **of formula (I) in accordance with**

Claim 30, wherein said compound is selected infrom the group consisting of :

3-[7-(2,6-dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2,5-dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-methoxy-7-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[8-methoxy-7-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;

3-[7-(2-chloro-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

3-(8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl)-benzamide;₃

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;₃

3-[7-(2-Chloro-6-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

3-[8-Methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-7-(2-phenoxy-phenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

5-(3,4-Dichloro-phenyl)-7-(2,6-dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;₃

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-5-m-tolyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;₃ and

7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one.

48.(Currently Amended) A compound **of formula (I) in accordance with Claim 30, wherein said compound is selected ~~in~~from** the group consisting of :

3-[7-(2,5-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;₃

3-[7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-1-methyl-2-oxo-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-5-yl]-benzamide;
7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one;
7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-5-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one; and
7-(2,6-Dimethoxy-phenyl)-8-methoxy-5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1-methyl-1,3-dihydro-benzo[e][1,4]diazepin-2-one.

49. (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising at least one compound ~~as defined in~~ **of formula (I) in accordance with** claim 30, and a pharmaceutically acceptable vehicle or support.

Claims 50-58 Cancelled